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APPLICATION OF)
FOLKER LIEB ET AL)
SERIAL NUMBER: TO BE ASSIGNED)
FILED: HEREWITH)
TITLE: ARYLPHENYL-SUBSTITUTED)
CYCLIC KETO-ENOLS)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Upon the granting of a serial number and filing date and prior to the examination of the subject application, kindly amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

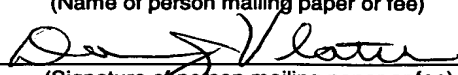
Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 37 of this paper.

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